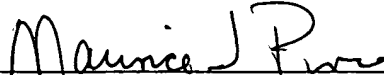


## REMARKS

Applicants respectfully request consideration of this application and its early allowance.

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